IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Higgins

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For: METHOD FOR IN-FURNACE REDUCTION FLUE GAS ACIDITY

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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Examiner: J. Cocks Art Unit: 3749

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Amendment

This amendment is in response to the Office Action mailed January 18, 2007.

If any Extension of Time or additional fees for the accompanying response are required, applicant requests that this be considered a Petition therefor. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees that may be required to Deposit Account 501923.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this response.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this response.